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1. FOLLOWING MINISTER SENE'S RECENT VISIT US AND HAVING OBSERVED FOLKLIFE FESTIVAL, GOS NOW WISHES INCREASE GROUP TO 32. ADDITIONAL THREE WOULD BE PERFORMERS NOT TOUR LEADERS.

2. AFTER POST STRESSED NEED TO KEEP GROUP TO 29, MINCUL OFFICIAL NOW REQUESTING GOS COVER INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL COSTS. THEY WILL NOT BE ABLE TO COVER DOMESTIC TRAVEL. MINCUL OFFICIALS STILL NEGOCIATING WITH GOS FOR ASSISTANCE. WILL ADVISE OUTCOME.

IF INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL COST COVERED, CAN GROUP BE INCREASED BY THREE?

3. MAURICE SENGHOR NOW UNABLE ACCOMPANY GROUP.

FOLLOWING UPDATED LIST OF 29 PARTICIPANTS.

GROUP LEADERS

MOUSTAPHA DIAO

MBAYE DIOM

JEAN PIERRE LEURS

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DANSEURS BOULAY SONKO
MALANG DABO
CHEIKH DIOH
IBRAHIMA FAYE
MAMADOU FALL
EMMANUEL NANGUI
MOUSSA SOW

DANSEUSES
MAGUETTE FALL
COUMBA MANE
FATOU NDIAYE
MARIETOU MANE
AWA DIALLO

INSTRUMENTALISTES
BANNA CISSOKO
AMADOU NDIAYE SAMB
SAMBA DIABARE SAMB

CHANTEUSE
ADJA MBANA DIOP

BIJOUTIER
MOUSSA GUEYE

COIFFEUSE
N'DEYE KHADIDIATOU NIANG

TAILLEUR
OUSMANE FAYE

TATTEURS
ABDOUR KOUNTA
FOTIGY TOURE
MOUSSA KAMARA
MALAMINE SAMBOU
BAKARY GOUDIABY
VIEUX SING FAYE
DOUDOU NDAYE ROSE
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